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State of West Virginia,

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do solemnly swear that the legal notice of: 6/3 REGULAR MEETING

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

was duly published in said newspaper(s) at the stated price for the respective newspaper(s) and during the states listed below:

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OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA SARAH J WITHROW

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My commission expires October 24, 202



## AFFIDAVIT OF MELANIE SHILLING

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,

#### COUNTY OF KANAWHA, TO-WIT:

Melanie Shilling, who being duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

- 1. My name is Melanie Shilling; I am over the age of 18 years old and have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein.
- 2. I have served at all times relevant herein as the Secretary to Frank A. Mullens, Jr., Mayor of the City of South Charleston, West Virginia.
- 3. The City of South Charleston's second proposed amendment to its Municipal Home Rule Written Plan concerning Sunday morning alcohol service was available for public inspection at the South Charleston Mayor's Office during regular business hours from June 6, 2016 through July 7, 2016.

Further the affiant sayeth naught.

Melanie Shilling

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,

COUNTY OF KANAWHA:

The foregoing was subscribed and sworn to before me on July 8th, 2016.

My Commission expires:

Notary Public

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OFFICIAL SEAL
Notary Public, State of West Virginia
PATHICIA GOFF
1096 Valley Dr.
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My commission expires March 6, 2023



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July 8, 2016

Frank A. Mullens, Jr., Mayor City Hall 401-D Street South Charleston, WV 25303

Re: Legal Opinion – Home Rule Proposed Written Plan Amendment (Second)

Dear Mayor Mullens:

As the City Attorney for the City of South Charleston, I have reviewed the second proposed amendment to the City of South Charleston's Municipal Home Rule Written Plan concerning Sunday alcohol service by certain holders of ABCA Class A licenses, an amendment that was the subject of a public hearing on July 7, 2016. Upon my review of the proposed amendment, it is my legal opinion as an attorney licensed to practice in West Virginia that it and the entire written plan do not violate the provisions of W. Va. Code § 8-1-5a.

Please let me know if I can be of further assistance in this matter.

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INTRODUCED BY:	ORDINANCE NO:
Frank A. Mullens, Jr., Mayor	2229
REFERRED TO:	APPROVED ON:
	7-7-16

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF SOUTH CHARLESTON TO SUBMIT TO THE MUNICIPAL HOME RULE BOARD A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO ITS HOME RULE PLAN CONSISTENT WITH W. VA. CODE § 8-1-5a REQUESTING APPROVAL TO ALLOW THE SALE OF ALCHOLIC BEVERAGES BY CERTAIN WEST VIRGINIA ALCOHOL BEVERAGE CONTROL ADMINISTRATION CLASS "A" LICENSE HOLDERS BEGINNING AT 10:00 A.M. ON SUNDAYS:

WHEREAS, the owners of restaurants and hotels in the City of South Charleston have indicated that there is a market for brunch service on Sundays, and that current restrictions on hours of Sunday alcohol service imposed by state law stifle Sunday morning brunch attendance; and

WHEREAS, the South Charleston Convention and Visitor's Bureau and its Board of Directors, which is comprised of civic leaders and people involved in the City's hospitality and tourism industries, fully the support the City's use of Home Rule to allow earlier Sunday alcohol service in South Charleston thereby enabling restaurants and hotels in the City to be fully operational on Sundays to enhance the City's image in the eyes of business and leisure travelers and enrich the experiences of visitors to South Charleston; and

WHEREAS, the City has determined that allowing alcohol sales at Sunday morning brunch service within the City will produce more revenue and strengthen City businesses, increase City business and occupational tax revenues and City/state sales tax revenues, and increase earnings for servers and other employees working in the hotels and restaurants in the City; and

WHEREAS, one of the City's goals and objectives is to become an entertainment and cultural destination and the active promotion of South Charleston as a city that offers a range of lifestyle choices in order to attract new residents to the City and retain its current residents; the establishment of an earlier Sunday alcohol service is another way for the City to meet these goals and strengthen its social vitality;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA, THAT the Mayor, City Attorney and City Administration are hereby authorized and requested to submit to the Municipal Home Rule Board a proposed amendment, attached hereto as Exhibit A, to the City of South Charleston Municipal Home Rule Plan consistent with W. Va. Code § 8-1-5a, requesting approval to allow the sale of alcoholic beverages by certain West Virginia Alcohol Beverage Control Administration Class "A" license holders beginning at 10:00 a.m. on Sundays.

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage.

ATTEST:

Margie Spence, City Clerk

Frank A. Mulleffs, Mayor

This ordinance was prepared by Moore & Biser PLLC, City Attorney.